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To The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks MAIL STOP Patent Application P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re.

New U.S. Utility Patent Application of BOYER, Frank for "SHOTGUN CHOKE WITH INTEGRAL WAD-STOPPING FEATURE" (from Provisional Patent Application 60/454,368; Filed: March 12, 2003); Filed: herewith (March 12, 2004); Serial No.: to be assigned.

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the above-referenced utility patent application. Enclosed are:

- 1. New patent application; 12 pages total of specification including 1 page of drawing.
- 2. One (1) Verified Statement to establish small entity status 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27. (Ind Inventor).
- 3. Our post card. Please date stamp and return.

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Respectfully submitted,

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